



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 1317

January Session, 2001

AN ACT CONCERNING A MEDICAID WAIVER FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 (NEW) The Department of Social Services shall submit to the federal
2 Health Care Financing Administration a request to include in a
3 Medicaid waiver any individual receiving Medicare benefits with no
4 Medicare supplement insurance that covers drugs and any other
5 individual with household income up to three hundred per cent of the
6 federal poverty level who does not have an insurance program that
7 includes a prescription drug benefit. Such individuals shall receive a
8 discount for prescription drugs equal to the average manufacturer's
9 rebate paid to the Medicaid program by pharmaceutical
10 manufacturers.

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